

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Christopher E. Pearce et al.  
Serial No.: 09/579,348  
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Group Art Unit: 2416  
Confirmation No.: 7459  
Examiner: Hanh N. Nguyen  
Title: *System and Method for Device Registration Replication in a  
Communication Network*

**MAIL STOP – AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.